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## Bank.

**THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.**  
(Incorporated in London on 18th July, 1884, under the Companies Acts 1862, to 1883.)

**LONDON BANKERS:**  
UNION BANK OF LONDON, LD.  
BANK OF SCOTLAND, LONDON.

**RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.**  
At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per Annum.  
" 6 " " 4 " "  
" 12 " " 5 " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

**CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION PURCHASED.**  
H. A. HERBERT, Manager.  
Hongkong, September 15, 1884. 1556

## Notice of Firm.

**NOTICE.**  
THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF MR. AARON MOSES GUBBY in our Firms in India, China and England, ceased on the 31st December last.

DAVID SASSOON & Co.  
Bombay, February 4, 1885. 338

## Intimations.

**SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
Incorporated on the 5th day of February, 1885, under 'The Indian Companies Act, 1860,' whereby the liability of Shareholders is limited to the amounts not paid up on their shares.

CAPITAL.....Two Million Dollars in 20,000 Shares of \$100 each; PAYABLE \$5 PER SHARE ON APPLICATION AND \$15 ON ALLOTMENT.

Further calls not to exceed \$20 per share nor to be made payable at less intervals than three months.

**Provisional Directors:**  
Messrs. GUTHRIE & Co., Singapore.  
THOMAS CUTHBERTSON, Esq., (Messrs. Guthrie & Co.), Singapore.  
TH. SOHST, Esq., (Messrs. Guthrie & Co.), Singapore.  
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JNO. F. ORR, Esq., (Messrs. Syke & Co.), Singapore.

**Bankers:**  
Messrs. DONALDSON & BURKINSHAW.

**Legal Advisers:**  
SINGAPORE EXCHANGE BUILDINGS.  
ALEXANDER GENTLE, Esq.

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## For Sale.

**BEDSTEADS!**  
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**LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.**  
ARE NOW SHOWING  
THE Largest Assortment of BEDSTEADS ever seen in the Far East. Over ONE HUNDRED Brass and Iron BEDSTEADS to select from, ranging in price from \$10 to \$100 each.

An Inspection is invited.

**LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.**  
Hongkong, February 19, 1885. 290

## For Sale.

**EX STEAMSHIP SARPEDON.**  
OUR FIRST DELIVERIES OF  
LADIES' STRAW HATS.  
CHILDREN'S STRAW HATS.  
GENTLEMEN'S STRAW HATS.  
CHILDREN'S BOOTS AND SHOES.  
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BY LAST INDIAN MAIL  
LADIES', GENTLEMEN'S and CHILDREN'S CALCUTTA PITH HATS.  
WM. POWELL & Co.  
Hongkong, March 3, 1885. 371

## For Sale.

**ROBERT LANG & Co.,**  
Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters,  
QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

**HATS.**  
A large assortment of Christy's Felt Hats, always in Stock in all the newest styles.

**CLOTHING.**  
Tweeds.  
Coatings.  
Trousersings.  
Serges.  
Flannels.

**SHIRTS.**  
Having completed our arrangements we can now make to order White Dress Shirts, equal to home-manufacture.

**HOSIERY, SCARFS, TIES, HANDKERCHIEFS, BOOTS AND SHOES.**

Hongkong, January 6, 1885. 33

## For Sale.

**Intimations.**  
**POLICE NOTIFICATION.**  
A Revision of the Issue of Night Passes being about to be made Notice is given that REQUISITIONS by EUROPEANS for PASSAGES for use of their Servants during the Second Quarter of 1885, must be sent to the Police Office before the 15th March, 1885.

Requisitions received after that date will be liable to delay before they are considered. The Hours for the Issue of Night Passes the Police Office are between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. on all days except on Saturdays and Sundays. Passes sent for exchange at other Hours are liable to delay.

**W. M. DEANE, Capt. Supl. of Police, Hongkong, February 24, 1885. 315**

## For Sale.

**Intimations.**  
**CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
**NOTICE.**  
THE Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, on WEDNESDAY, the 18th Instant, at 12 o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1884.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 16th Instant, both days inclusive.

**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Hongkong, March 2, 1885. 359**

## For Sale.

**Intimations.**  
**LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
**NOTICE.**  
THE Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, on WEDNESDAY, the 18th Instant, at Half-past Twelve o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1884.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 16th Instant, both days inclusive.

**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Hongkong, March 2, 1885. 361**

## For Sale.

**Intimations.**  
**CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.**  
**ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1884.**  
CONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to furnish the Underwritten with a List of their CONTRIBUTIONS for the year ending 31st December, 1884, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION OF BONDS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st day of March next will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Canton Insurance Office, Limited, Hongkong, March 2, 1885. 363**

## For Sale.

**Intimations.**  
**HONGKONG STEAM LAUNDRY COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
THE Directors have appointed Mr. R. C. HURLEY Secretary and MANAGER of the Company from the 1st Instant. All Communications should therefore be addressed to him after this date. The Directors believe that, under the new Management, the grounds of complaint heretofore existing will be removed, and that full satisfaction will be given to Supporters.

**Hongkong, February 7, 1885. 226**

## Intimations.

**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.**  
**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.**  
THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Year ending 31st December, 1884, at the Rate of (\$2) TWO POUNDS STERLING per Share of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, the 2nd March, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager, Hongkong, February 28, 1885. 348

## Intimations.

**THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Hotel on WEDNESDAY, the 18th March, at 4 o'clock p.m., to receive the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1884.**

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 4th to the 18th March, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
LOUIS HAUSCHILD, Secretary, Hongkong, February 24, 1885. 318

## Intimations.

**MR. W. M. BAIN having RESIGNED his appointment will be succeeded by Mr. Wm. FARLANE as MANAGER of this Company from the 1st Proximo.**

**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, February 24, 1885. 319**

## Intimations.

**PURSUANT to an Order of the Supreme Court of Hongkong, made on the 20th day of February, 1885, Notice is hereby given that all Persons having CLAIMS against the Estate of CARL FELDMANN FEIDRICH HERMANN, late Master of the Steamship Ching Kien (who was drowned at sea on the 25th day of January, 1884, intestate), are hereby required to send in writing Particulars of their Claims to the undersigned Solicitors, for NICHOLAS AUGUST STRAS (the person appointed by the Supreme Court of Hongkong, in its Probate Jurisdiction, to administer the Estate and Effects of the said Deceased), on or before the 1st day of June next, after which time the Administrator will proceed to distribute the Assets of the Deceased, among the Persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the Claims of which he shall then have had Notice.**

Dated this 25th day of February, 1885.

**WOTTON & DEACON, Solicitors, 35, Queen's Road, Hongkong.**

## Intimations.

**VICTORIA HOTEL, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.**  
**THIS extensive and well-appointed establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.**

The Rooms are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The accommodation and service of every kind will be found to be of the best description.

An ample and varied Table d'Hôte is always provided and served in the spacious, large Dining Hall.

The Hotel also contains handsome and comfortable reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.

The Hotel is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABEE and HING KEE, PROPRIETORS.

Hongkong, September 15, 1884. 1550

## Intimations.

**ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.**  
ALL HOLDERS of NOTES of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION (HONGKONG BRANCH), are hereby requested to present them to the Liquidators of the Bank, when they will be given in Exchange a certificate of the value of the Notes deposited.

Holders of Notes will be required to furnish to the Liquidators of the Bank, a schedule in duplicate, giving the date of Issue, Number and Amount of each Note produced.

Forms of Schedule may be had on application at the Office of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

For the OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR OF THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, His Attorney, J. MELLVILLE TAYLOR, H. HOWARD TAYLOR.

Hongkong, August 2, 1884. 1295

## Intimations.

**WILLIAM DOLAN, SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER, 22, PRAYA CENTRAL.**  
**COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CALVARS, MANILLA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, COCK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.**

Hongkong, May 1, 1882. 256

## Intimations.

**ANY Cut-off Clothing, Boots, or PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point, Hongkong, July 25, 1874.**

## Auctions.

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**  
THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, (On Account of whom it may Concern),

**WEDNESDAY NEXT,**  
the 4th March, 1885, at Noon, at his Office, 24, Queen's Road Central,—

A QUANTITY OF ABOUT 2,500 TONS TAKASIMA COAL, on Board the S.S. Castella, as she now lies on Flat Island, near the Ly-moon Pass.

TERMS.—Cash immediately after the Sale. Cargo at Purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.

**E. JONES HUGHES, Auctioneer, Hongkong, February 24, 1885. 316**

## Auctions.

**HORSE AUCTION.**  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell by Public Auction on

**WEDNESDAY,**  
the 4th Instant, at 4 o'clock p.m., at the FOUR-STAIRS, opposite the City Hall,—

RACING PONIES, HACKS, CARRIAGES, SADDLERY, &c., &c., &c.

**LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Auctioneers, Hongkong, March 2, 1885. 362**

## Auctions.

**TO LET.**  
GOODS taken on STORAGE at the GODOWNS, No. 15, PRAYA CENTRAL, at Moderate Rates.

Apply to  
**G. C. ANDERSON, No. 4, Praya Central, Hongkong, March 2, 1885. 358**

## Auctions.

**TO LET.**  
THE LARGE and COMMODIOUS HOUSE at Kowloon known as 'Belvue,' With Garden and Tennis Courts attached. Entry at once.

Apply to  
**G. C. ANDERSON, 4, Praya Central, Hongkong, February 20, 1885. 292**

## Auctions.

**TO LET ON LEASE.**  
TENDERS WANTED for the following TENEMENTS:—

No. 88 to 102, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.  
" 15 to 22, PRAYA.  
" 1 to 14, TAI-WONG LANE.  
" 1 to 27, TAI-WONG STREET.  
" 2 to 26, " "  
" 2 to 26, SHIP STREET.

The Property will be put in thorough Repair. Entry from 1st April.

Tenders to be lodged with the Undersigned on or before 20th March.

For further Particulars, apply to  
**G. C. ANDERSON, 4, Praya Central, Hongkong, February 20, 1885. 291**

## Auctions.

**TO BE LET.**  
THE VICTORIA EXCHANGE, suitable for a Large Store, for SHOPS, WAREHOUSES or MERCHANTS' OFFICES; with or without GODOWN and DWELLING HOUSE; or the Premises can be Subdivided to suit Tenants.

Apply to  
**A. S. WATSON & Co., Hongkong, February 10, 1885. 243**

## Auctions.

**TO LET.**  
'COLLEGE CHAMBERS' (late HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS), Single Rooms or SUITES of APARTMENTS. Nos. 4 and 18, HOLLWOOD ROAD. No. 25a, PRAYA CENTRAL. No. 44, GRAHAM STREET.

Apply to  
**DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, December 24, 1884. 2165**

## Auctions.

**STORAGE.**  
GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE in Commodious and well ventilated GODOWNS on his New Premises in DUNDRELL STREET, next to the ORIENTAL BANK.

**G. R. LAMBERT, Hongkong, December 27, 1884. 2173**

## Auctions.

**TO LET.**  
NEW BUNGALOW—FURNISHED, at Mount Kellett Spur. Five Rooms, LARGE BASEMENT, OUT HOUSES, TENNIS COURT. Possession from April.

Apply to  
**JOHN D. HUTCHISON, 24, Stanley Street, Hongkong, February 14, 1885. 250**

## Auctions.

**TO LET.**  
THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 38, CAINE ROAD. Possession from 1st January, 1885.

Apply to  
**DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongkong, December 23, 1884. 2164**

## Auctions.

**TO LET.**  
No. 3, WEST TERRACE. Entry from 1st March.

Apply to  
**G. C. ANDERSON, 4, Praya Central, Hongkong, February 19, 1885. 236**

## Auctions.

**SAILOR'S HOME.**  
ANY Cut-off Clothing, Boots, or PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point, Hongkong, July 25, 1874.

## Shipping.

**Steamers.**  
**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW (SHARP PEAK.)  
The Co.'s Steamship *Amoy*, Capt. M. Young, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 4th Proximo, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, February 23, 1885. 349**

## Shipping.

**THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
FOR HAIPHONG (DIRECT)  
The Co.'s Steamship *Amoy*, Captain HAMILTON, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 4th Instant, at 9 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, March 2, 1885. 365**

## Shipping.

**OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**  
FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.  
The Co.'s Steamship *Amoy*, Capt. EDWARDS, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 4th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Hongkong, February 23, 1885. 346**

## Shipping.

**STEAM TO NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.**  
(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)  
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship *Tokoro*, Capt. NANTZ, will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, 6th March, at Daylight.

A. MEYER, Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, February 24, 1885. 311

## Shipping.

**FOR SINGAPORE.**  
The Steamship *Harbin*, Capt. GRANDIN, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 6th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co., Agents, Hongkong, March 2, 1885. 355**

## Shipping.

**SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.**  
FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG VIA SUEZ CANAL.  
(Taking Cargo at through rates for NEW YORK.)  
The Steamship *Radnorshire*, S. C. RUCKARD, Comdr., will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 16th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents, Hongkong, March 2, 1885. 364**

## Shipping.

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW (SHARP PEAK.)  
The Co.'s Steamship *Amoy*, Capt. M. Young, will be despatched for the above Ports, as POSTPONED till further Notice.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, February 23, 1885. 304**

## Shipping.

**UNION LINE.**  
FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.  
The Steamship *Mosser*, Captain TITZKE, due on or about the 4th March next, will have immediate despatch for the above Ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co., Agents, Hongkong, February 27, 1885. 340**

## Shipping.

**Sailing Vessels.**  
FOR NEW YORK.  
The S/S L.L.L. American Bark *Crescent*, RULAND, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, February 3, 1885. 193**

## Shipping.

**FOR SAN FRANCISCO.**  
The S/S L.L.L. American Ship *Commodore*, BLANCHARD, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, February 3, 1885. 193**



## For Sale.

FOR SALE.

## FAIRBANKS' SCALES.

DEVON'S NONPAREIL KEROSENE OIL.

PAINTS and OILS, TALLOW and TAR, PUTCH and ROSIN.

AN INVOICE OF.

PARLOUR AND COOKING

## STOVES.

## EX LATE ARRIVALS.

CHATEAU MARGAUX.  
CHATEAU LA TOUR, pints & quarts.  
1855. GRAVES, "  
BREAKFAST CLARET, "SACONNE'S MANZANILLA & AMON-  
TILLADO.  
SACONNE'S OLD INVALID PORT  
(1848).  
HUNT'S PORT.1 and 3-star HENNESSY'S BRANDY.  
COGNAC, 1884.  
FINEST OLD BOURBON WHISKY.  
KINARIN'S LL WHISKY.  
ROYAL GLENDEE WHISKY.  
BOON'S OLD TOM.  
E. & J. BUNKE'S IRISH WHISKY.  
ROSS'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL.  
NOLLY PRAT & CO'S VERMOUTH.  
JAMESON'S WHISKY.  
MARSALE.  
EASTERN CIDER.  
CHARTREUSE.  
MARASCHINO.  
CURACAO.BASS'S ALE, bottled by CAMERON and  
SANDHURST, pints and quarts.  
GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. & J.  
BUNKE, pints and quarts.  
DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the  
Gallon.  
ALE and PORTER, in hogheads.MILNER'S PATENT FIRE-PROOF  
SAVES, CASH and PAPER  
BOXES, at Manufacturer's Prices.

Sole Agents for

Messrs. TURNBULL, Jnr., and  
SOMERVILLE'S

## MALTESE CIGARETTES.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL &amp; CO.

Hongkong, January 8, 1885.

## Notices to Consignees.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LON-  
DON AND SINGAPORE.THE S.S. *Martha*, W. DUTTON,  
Commander, having arrived from the  
above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby  
informed that all Goods, with the exception  
of Opium, are being landed at their risk into  
the Godowns of the Undersigned, at Wan-  
chai, No. 3, behind the premises known as  
"Blue Buildings," whence and/or from the  
Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.  
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, un-  
less notice to the contrary be given before  
Noon To-day.No Claims will be admitted after the  
Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods  
remaining after the 4th Proximo will be  
subject to rent.No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, February 26, 1885.

## STEAMSHIP PEIHO.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamships  
*Indus* and *Melua*, from London,  
Thames from Antwerp, in connection with  
the above Steamer, are hereby informed that  
their Goods—with the exception of  
Opium, Treasure and Valuables—are being  
landed and stored at their risk at the  
Company's Godowns, whence delivery may  
be obtained immediately after landing.  
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless  
intimation is received from the Consignees  
before Noon To-day, the 25th Instant, re-  
questing it to be landed here.Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
the Undersigned.Goods remaining unclaimed after Wed-  
nesday, the 4th March, at Noon, will be  
subject to rent and landing charges at 1  
cent per package per diem.All Claims must be sent in to me on or  
before the 7th March, or they will not be  
recognised.No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, February 25, 1885.

FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LON-  
DON AND SINGAPORE.THE S.S. *Martha*, W. DUTTON,  
Commander, having arrived from the  
above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby  
informed that all Goods, with the exception  
of Opium, are being landed at their risk into  
the Godowns of the Undersigned, at Wan-  
chai, No. 3, behind the premises known as  
"Blue Buildings," whence and/or from the  
Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.  
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, un-  
less notice to the contrary be given before  
Noon To-day, the 25th Instant.No Claims will be admitted after the  
Goods have left the Godowns.No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
SIEMSEN & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, February 25, 1885.

## Intimations.

D. K. GRIFFITH & Co.  
MANUFACTURERS OF THE LONDON  
PATENT WATER.Have Removed from the BRACKENFIELD  
ARCADE to larger Premises  
1, DUDDELL STREET,  
Where they continue to supply:SODA WATER, LEMONADE,  
TOMATO, GINGERBREAD,  
SELTZER, RASPBERRYADE,  
SARSAPILLA, &c., &c., &c.  
At the same Moderate Charges.D. K. GRIFFITH,  
Proprietor.

Hongkong, July 28, 1884.

## NOTICE.

THE MITSU BISHI MAIL S.S. Co.  
having taken over the NAGASAKI  
DOCK, SLIP and ENGINEERING  
WORKS, are now prepared to Dock and  
Repair Vessels, at moderate terms.  
The DOCK is one of the largest and  
best in the East, being 431 feet long and  
89 feet broad, and having a depth of water  
on blocks at spring tides of 27 feet and  
on neap tides 22 feet.  
The SHOPS contain Machine-tools of all  
descriptions and compound Engines up to  
1,000 horse-power. The lowest-class of  
work can be undertaken at the shortest  
notice.  
Powerful lifting SHEARS are being  
erected.For further Particulars, apply to  
H. J. H. TRIPP,  
Agent.

Hongkong, December 18, 1884.

## THE TEST OF TIME

Has been applied to AYER'S PILLS, and they  
have been found to be the most reliable  
remedy for all the ailments of the bowels,  
and for the various diseases of the stomach,  
liver, and gall-bladder, which are the result  
of indigestion, or of a weak and disordered  
system. They are a most valuable and  
reliable remedy for all the ailments of the  
bowels, and for the various diseases of the  
stomach, liver, and gall-bladder, which are  
the result of indigestion, or of a weak and  
disordered system. They are a most valuable  
and reliable remedy for all the ailments of  
the bowels, and for the various diseases of  
the stomach, liver, and gall-bladder, which  
are the result of indigestion, or of a weak  
and disordered system.

## Ayer's Pills

Cure Indigestion and Constipation, and  
prevent many other ailments of the bowels,  
which are the result of indigestion, or of a  
weak and disordered system. They are a  
most valuable and reliable remedy for all  
the ailments of the bowels, and for the  
various diseases of the stomach, liver, and  
gall-bladder, which are the result of indiges-  
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tem.

Dr. J. C. Ayer &amp; Co., Lowell, Mass.

Sold by all Druggists.

Agents for  
HONGKONG, CHINA AND MANILA.  
A. S. WATSON & Co.

## Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor  
Owners will be responsible for  
any Debt contracted by the Officers or  
Crew of the following Vessels, during  
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:BORAS, British steamer, Capt. Thomas  
Sourabaya, Amherst, Karlsruhe & Co.ANNA SIEBER, German barque, Capt. H.  
Pahlsen, Wied & Co.NARVA, American barque, Capt. Wm.  
R. Hagen, Adamson, Bell & Co.JESSE O'DONNELL, British ship, Captain J.  
Wilson, Carlowitz & Co.MARNICK, British barque, Captain Ligh-  
body, Melchers & Co.NARVA, American ship, Capt. Oliver O.  
Jung, Adamson, Bell & Co.THUNDERBOLT, British ship, Captain A.  
Cann, Douglas LaPraik & Co.RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, March 3, 1885.

## Entertainment.

THE GAIETY COMPANY.  
Sole Proprietor, Geo. NORVILL.FROM  
THE THEATRE ROYAL, Calcutta;  
and  
THE GAIETY THEATRE, Bombay.Patrons:  
T. R. H. THE DUKE and DUCHESS,  
of Cambridge.  
His Excellency THE MARQUIS of Ripon,  
His Excellency SIR JAMES FERGUSON,  
&c., &c., &c.WILL IF POSSIBLE GIVE  
TWO PERFORMANCES,  
on Monday, for Shanghai.THE FIRST PERFORMANCE,  
will be  
GILBERT'S CLASSICAL COMEDY,  
entitled  
PYGMALION & GALATEA.AT THE  
SECOND PERFORMANCE,  
will be presented  
A HUSBAND IN CLOVER,  
And the  
ORIENTAL BURLESQUE,  
BROWN & THE BRAHMS.Full Particulars will be duly announced  
on the arrival of the Company.The Plan of the Theatre may be seen and  
Seats secured at Messrs KELLY & WALSH'S,  
Hongkong, December 11, 1884.

## To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAI  
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates  
for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW  
CHOW, HANKOW and Ports on the  
YANGTZE.)The Steamship  
*Glenglass*,  
Capt. GEAR, will be  
despatched as above on  
or about the 5th Instant.For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
Hongkong, March 3, 1885.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship  
*Glenglass*,  
Capt. JACOB, will be  
despatched as above on  
or about the 11th Instant.For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
Hongkong, March 3, 1885.

## UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP, HAMBURG AND  
SINGAPORE.THE Steamship *Yorkshire*, Captain  
A. J. H. TRIPP, having arrived from the  
above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby  
requested to send in their Bills of Lading to  
the Undersigned for countersignature, and to  
take immediate delivery of their Goods  
from alongside.Cargo impeding the discharge of the  
Steamer will be at once landed and stored  
at Consignees' risk and expense, and no  
Fire Insurance will be effected.Optional cargo will be forwarded on to  
SHANGHAI, unless notice to the contrary be  
given before Noon To-morrow, the 4th  
Instant.All Claims against the Steamer must be  
presented to the Undersigned on or before  
the 12th inst., or they will not be recognised.RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, March 3, 1885.

## Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.

Vessels.

Captains.

Agents.

Date of Leaving.

Batavia, &amp;c., via Saigon, Celebes (s), de Haan, Jardine, Matheson &amp; Co., March 5, at daylight.

Haiphong, Amata (s), Hamlin, Russell &amp; Co., March 4, at 9 a.m.

London, via Suez Canal, Stentor (s), Edwards, Butterfield &amp; Swire, March 4, at 9 a.m.

London, via Suez Canal, Glenglass (s), Jacobs, Jardine, Matheson &amp; Co., About March 11.

London, &amp;c., via Suez Canal, Radnorshire (s), S. C. Rickard, Adamson, Bell &amp; Co., About March 16.

Nagasaki, &amp;c., via Saigon, Saghalien (s), Homery, Messageries Maritimes, March 10, at noon.

New York, Naxos (s), Naxos, P. &amp; O. S. N. Co., March 9, at daylight.

San Francisco, via Yokohama, Oceania (s), Russell &amp; Co., Quick despatch.

San Francisco, Commodore (s), Russell &amp; Co., Quick despatch.

Shanghai, Glenglass (s), Gask, Jardine, Matheson &amp; Co., About March 5.

Singapore, Haater (s), Grandin, Russell &amp; Co., March 6, at daylight.

Swatow, Amoy and Poochow, Douglas (s), Douglas LaPraik &amp; Co., March 6, at noon.

Swatow, Amoy and Poochow, Douglas (s), Douglas LaPraik &amp; Co., Quick despatch.

Sydney and Melbourne, &amp;c., Ballona (s), Melchers &amp; Co., Quick despatch.

Yokohama and Higo, Mosser (s), Butterfield &amp; Swire, March 4, at 4 p.m.

Yokohama and Higo, Mosser (s), Russell &amp; Co., Quick despatch.

## SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

MARCH 3, 1885.

Stocks.

No. of Shares.

Value.

Paid up.

Position per last report.

Reserve.

Balance forward.

Closing quotations.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK CORPORATION, 60,000, 125, 125, 4,400,000, 61,443, 118 1/2 prem. ex. div. = 127 1/2 prem. cum div.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited, 5,000, 200, 200, 50,000, 540,107, 2 1/2, 280 per share.

YANGTZE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited, 8,000, 2, 2, 2, 50,000, 125, 125, buyers.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY COMPANY, Limited, 2,000, 1,250, 1,250, 50,000, 496,329, 400, 400, buyers.

CHINA TRADING COMPANY, Limited, 24,000, 83,333, 83,333, 600,000, 107,361, 100, 100, buyers.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE COMPANY, Limited, 10,000, 200, 200, 105,000, 469,560, 82, 82, cash.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited, 1,500, 1,000, 1,000, 28,711, 50, 107, 107, buyers.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., Limited, 8,000, 250, 250, 600,000, 297,688, 107, 107, ex div.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited, 20,000, 100, 100, 647,500, 191,060, 90, 90, cash.

STEAM COMPANIES.

H. K. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Limited, 8,000, 100, 100, 219,000, 34,638, 98 prem. ex. div., sellers.

INDO-CHINA S. N. Co., Ltd. 60,000 sh. issued, 18,397, 10, 10, 10, 30 discount.

CHINA AND MANILA S. S. COMPANY, Limited, 3,500, 100, 100, 30 discount.

HONGKONG &amp; WHAMPONG DOCK CO., Limited, 10,000, 125, 125, 18,000, 6,083, 48 per cent. ex. div.,

H. K. and China Gas Company, Limited, 1,000, 10, 10, 10, 100 per share.

NEW SHARPS, 1,000, 10, 10, 10, 100 per share.

HONGKONG HOTEL CO., Ltd. 3,000 sh. issued, 2,000, 100, 100, 6,620, 107, 107, buyers.

CHINA SUGAR COMPANY, Limited, 1,000, 100, 100, 24,250, 643, 110, 110, ex div.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, Limited, 1,500, 100, 100, 24,250, 643, 110, 110, ex div.

HONGKONG BAKERY COMPANY, Limited, 600, 50, 50, 6,000, 4,000, 60, 60, buyers.

LUNSON SUGAR COMPANY, Limited, 7,000, 100, 100, 4,000, 60, 60, buyers.

PERAK TIN MINING CO., Ltd. of Shanghai, 6,000, 50, 50, 4,000, 60, 60, nominal.

SANGAPORE TIN MINING CO., Ltd. of Shanghai, 2,000, 100, 100, 4,000, 60, 60, nominal.

HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING CO., Limited, 3,000, 50, 50, 4,000, 60, 60, cash, buyers.

LOANS.

Chinese Imperial 1874, 6,270, 100, 100, 8, 8, June 30 Dec. 31.

" 1877, 16,040, 100, 100, 8, 8, Feb. 28 Apr. 31.

" 1881, 3,899, 100, 100, 8, 8, April &amp; October.

" 1883, 3,899, 100, 100, 8, 8, June &amp; Dec. 1 per.

Super Debentures, 1880, 600, 600, 8, 8, June &amp; Dec. 1 1/2 prem.

## To-day's Advertisements.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,  
LIMITED.FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY  
ISLAND, COOKTOWN,  
TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY,  
MELBOURNE, &c., VIA  
SINGAPORE.The Steamship  
*Glenglass*,  
Capt. GEAR, will be  
despatched for the above  
mentioned Ports TO-MORROW, the 4th  
Instant, at 4 p.m.This Vessel has unusually good Cabin  
Accommodation, situated amidships, upon  
the upper deck.For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.

Hongkong, March 3, 1885.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW.

The Co.'s Steamship  
*Glenglass*,  
Capt. GEAR, will be  
despatched for the above  
Port on THURSDAY, the 5th Instant, at  
Noon.For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LA PRAIK & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, March 3, 1885.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND  
SOERABAYA, VIA SAIGON  
AND SINGAPORE.The Co.'s Steamship  
*Glenglass*,  
Capt. GEAR, will be  
despatched as above on  
THURSDAY, the 5th Instant, at Noon.For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, March 3, 1885.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-  
Ship Company.TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS  
TO JAPAN, THE UNITED  
STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND  
SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE.THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,  
AND  
ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING  
STEAMERS.THE Steamship *OCEANIC* will be  
despatched for San Francisco, via  
Yokohama, on FRIDAY, the 13th Instant,  
at 3 p.m.Connection being made at Yokohama,  
with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan  
ports.All Parcel Packages should be marked to  
address in full; and same will be received  
at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the  
day previous to sailing.RETURN PASSENGERS.—Passengers, who  
have paid full fare, re-embarking at San  
Francisco for China or Japan (via the coast)  
within six months, will be allowed a discount  
of 20% from Return Fare; if re-embarking  
within one year, an allowance of 10% will  
be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Re-  
turn Passage Orders, available for one year,  
will be issued at a discount of 25% from  
Return Fare. These advantages do not apply  
to through fares from China and Japan to  
Europe.Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo  
destined to ports beyond San Francisco,  
should be sent to the Company's Office  
addressed to the Collector of Customs, San  
Francisco.For further information as to Freight  
or Passage, apply to the Agent of the  
Company, No. 314, Queen's Road Central.F. E. FOSTER,  
Agent.

Hongkong, March 3, 1885.

## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

March 3, 1885.

Ingram, German steamer, 895, T. B.  
Maasman, Nagasaki February 25, Conl.  
—M. B. M. S. S. Co.Anjou, British steamer, 814, D'Egville,  
Shanghai February 27, General.—SIESSSEN  
& Co.Yorkshire, British steamer, 1,488, O. J.  
H. Arnold, London via Penang February  
22, and Singapore, General.—RUSSELL  
& Co.Avalos, British barque, 440, Wm. Baikie,  
Haiphong February 19, Ballast.—DUNSTON  
& Co., Limited.Clapham, British steamer, 1,496, W. A.  
Gulland, Nagasaki February 26, Coal.  
—RUSSELL & Co.Republic, American ship, 1,263, J. H.  
Holmes, Newcastle January 4, Coal.  
—RUSSELL & Co.

## DEPARTURES.

March 3.

Fooking, for Shanghai.

Nan-shan, for Haiphong.

Glenmore, for Singapore.

San Fido, for San Francisco.

Bokhar, for Europe.

Lidia, for Yokohama.

Anjou, for Whampoa.

## CLEARED.

Hollingsworth, for Amoy.

Abbie Carver, for Hilo.



Figure 1. The effect of the concentration of the *Agaricus bisporus* spores on the growth of *Agaricus bisporus* on the substrate.



